

SOCIETY

The social calendar for the week is a small one, indeed. Entertaining in town these days has narrowed down to the most informal of porch parties and small dinners at the clubs, and one's embroidery and a set of tennis rackets to be the most diverting affairs on hand for an afternoon. The first of August marks the opening of the real summer season at the old White and the Virginia Hot Springs, and cottages at these famous resorts have been rapidly filling up. Several charming young girls, who are to make their formal bow to society here next winter, are at the White with their parents. They form an interesting group, and have been much entertained since their appearance at the White, where, history has it, only a true Virginia belle is made.

There the beaux and belles of a long-ago day have held court; the one of the South's sweetest singers penned lines never to be forgotten, to honor the beauty and wit of a woman he could not win; in its beautiful old ballroom the dainty slipped feet of one's grandmother have trod a stately measure with a great statesman for a partner, and the halo of the happy years is about it still, with all the mystery and charm of the wonderful past, which lies hidden in the rhododendron blossoms swaying across the pebbled path of Lovers' Leap.

For the coming week the wedding of Miss Clarke Hoofnagle and Lloyd Lee is perhaps the most interesting event. The ceremony will take place in the Duncan Memorial Chapel at Ashland at 8 o'clock, and a large reception will be given at the home of the bride's parents immediately afterward. Friday Mrs. Lewis Blanton gave an attractive shower at her home, "Crestview," in honor of the bride-elect. A great many relatives and friends from Richmond will attend the wedding.

Last week several parties motored from Richmond to Orange to attend the annual horse show there. The weather was ideal, and a fashionable society in that section of the State was out in force to attend it. Smart luncheons were given at several country places, the guests motoring back to the horse show later in the afternoon.

Wednesday and Thursday the Albemarle Horse Show will draw a large contingent of the hunting set to Charlottesville for the show there, and several prominent riders from Richmond will exhibit their horses. The boxes will be gay with parties of prominent people, and a number of informal affairs have been planned in honor of the guests in Charlottesville for this event.

Wednesday and Saturday evening are the usual dance nights at the Country Club of Virginia, and an informal golf day also given at the Hermitage Golf Club once a week.

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On Western Trips.

Richmonders are leaving town this week for late summer trips to the mountains and seashore, and a number of interesting parties are camping in the North, traveling through the West. Among the people who will leave during August for an extended stay in the West are Mr. and Mrs. James D. Crump and Miss Lora Crump, of the Chestfield, who will travel through the Great Lakes and the Rockies and spend some time on the California coast, later going to Alaska for a brief stay, returning to Virginia through Canada. Judge and Mrs. David C. Richardson, of 2015 Monument Avenue, left last week to spend several months in Western States, visiting in Portland, Ore., and California.

Miss Mary Boyd and Miss Mary Johnson are also traveling in the North and West. They will visit Alaska before returning to Richmond.

At the Warm.

George Cunningham, of the Chestfield, and her granddaughter, Miss Emily Lyman, are spending the summer season at the Warm Springs in Bath County. They will remain at the Warm until after the month of August, and will not return to Richmond until late in the fall.

Madame Lefebvre, mother of Mrs. John Skelton Williams, is also spending some time at the Warm Springs.

Miss Winton's Story.

The August number of the Southern Woman's Magazine carries as its feature article a charming story from the pen of Miss Annie Steger Winton, of Richmond. "A Born Bachelor" is a fascinating serial of the South-to-day, and is written in a truly delightful fashion, breathing charm and brightness throughout.

Miss Winton is a prominent member of the Woman's Club here, and her readings there have been most interesting events.

Miss Palmer Honored.

Miss Christine Snyder entertained formally in her home in Roanoke Wednesday evening in honor of her niece, Miss Lee Presentius, of New York, Conn., and Miss Elizabeth Palmer, of Richmond. An orchestra furnished the music, and those present included Misses Evelyn Fishburn, Hilda Leary, Dorothy Strickland, Rita Thomas, Helen Wyborn, Ella Thomas, Mary Stone, Virginia and Anna Michael, Elizabeth and Augusta Turner, Margaret Bolling, Anne Lacy, Mildred Leary, Frances Bandy, Dorothy Duck, Mr. Marie Shingler, Frances Repass, Katherine Parrott, Louise Vaughan, Katherine Buford, Frances Koehler, Frank Caldwell, Margaret and Mary Palmer, Lee Presentius and Elizabeth Shuler. Messrs. Emmett Bartlett, James Betts, Malcolm Luck, Lawrence Greer, Duncan Hobart, James Thomas, Jack Jewett, Beverly Chaney, Junius Fishburn, Joe Jamison, Lyman Spalding, Randolph Moore, Lawrence Seaton, Robert Nelson, Sidney Heath, Edmund Koehler, Walter Camp, Charlie Williams, William Nelson, Gordon Pace, Duncan Rankin, Dr. W. W. S. Butler, C. Walker Caldwell, Ted Davant, Charlie Fox, Albert Stone, Willie Hanlon, William Andrews, Coleman Nelson, Roy Starnett, Henry Ruttrough and "Finger" Ferguson.

Golden Wedding.

Major and Mrs. M. C. Keeling Thursday evening celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding at the residence of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Robertson, in Winkley. The residence was beautifully decorated in yellow and gold, a color scheme of gold being carried out throughout the home. During the evening 150 guests called and extended their congratulations and good wishes. The guests were received by Major and Mrs. Keeling and their daughter, Mrs. Robertson, and were ushered in by their grandchildren and nieces. Miss Evelyn Walker, Mrs. Robert Nicholas and Mrs. A. W. Creevy presided at the punch bowl. The guests were ushered into the drawing-room by Mrs. C. B. White, where refreshments were served by Miss Emily Robertson. Miss Laurie Jones, Miss Frances Creevy, Miss Mary Anna Powell and Miss Frances West, Daguerreotypes of the couple made before the war after many years of absence. Major Keeling and Miss Walker had been engaged, were shown Major Keeling preserved these pictures through the Civil War.

Major and Mrs. Keeling are among the oldest residents of Berkeley now living and have a host of friends. Major Keeling has been prominent in political life, being at one time Mayor of the town of Berkeley. He was for many years commander of the Norfolk Light Artillery Blues, where he was retired from active service with the rank of major. He is at present Justice of the peace of Berkeley and a prominent official and member of Memorial Methodist Church. Mrs. Keeling is also prominent in church work and is well known for her kind and benevolent deeds.

Engagement Announced.

Walter G. Jones, of Lynchburg, announces the engagement of his daughter, Corinne Lee, to John Martin Royall, of Richmond. The marriage will take place in October.

Leaving Town.

Mrs. Herbert Inman, who has been spending the month of July at Ocean View, left yesterday to be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Cooke, in Cleveland, Ohio. Later Mrs. Inman will visit friends in Chicago, Detroit and Pittsburgh.

Mrs. William Mercer, Miss May Mercer, Miss Elsie Young and Mr. Cabell Young left town on Saturday for a stay of two weeks in Atlantic City. They will also visit friends in Philadelphia before returning to Richmond.

Mr. Lassiter to Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Trevett, of Jamaica, Long Island, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dearborn, to R. Roland Lassiter, of this city. No date has been set for the wedding.

Married in New York.

Mrs. Nila A. Ellis, of Sharpsburg, Md., has issued cards announcing the marriage in New York City last week of her daughter, Lillian Beatrice, to Vernon Buford, of Norfolk. Mr. and Mrs. Buford will reside in Norfolk.

Costello-Timberlake.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Oliver Timberlake announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their sister, Mary Elizabeth, to Patrick Joseph Costello, formerly of Liverpool, England, but now of Richmond. The wedding will be very quietly celebrated on August 12.

Of Interest Here.

Representative and Mrs. Henry D. Flood and the latter's sister, Miss Hildegard Portner, who have been spending several weeks in Winchester, passed through Harrisonburg in their car for Mr. Flood's home at Appomattox, where they will remain for some time. The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Flood accompanied them.

Mrs. Harwood Hostess.

A pretty affair of the summer season was the bridge party given by Mrs. W. H. Harwood on Wednesday afternoon at her home in Newport News. Quantities of old-fashioned games and puzzles were placed about the rooms, and Mrs. Harwood's honor guests were Mrs. William Taylor, of Philadelphia, who is visiting Mrs. H. B. Bailey, and Mrs. William Taylor, of Winston-Salem, N. C., who is the guest of Mrs. B. J. Pressey.

Seven tables of bridge were played and favors were awarded to Mrs. J. M. Coleman and Mrs. J. P. Harrison for attaining the highest scores. Guest prizes were presented to Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Taylor.

Those playing included Mrs. William Taylor, Mrs. William Taylor, Mrs. Lennel Branch, Mrs. Holmes MacMurrain, Mrs. Samuel MacDowell, Mrs. H. B. Bailey, Mrs. Homer L. Ferguson, Mrs. J. M. Coleman, Mrs. Otis Bland, Mrs. J. T. Buxton, Mrs. W. R. Melvin, Mrs. E. O. Smith, Mrs. W. B. Lavezey, Mrs. C. L. Coleman, Mrs. J. C. Jones, Mrs. H. E. Parker, Mrs. D. S. Jones, Mrs. E. I. Cornbrooks, Mrs. Saxon Holt, Mrs. J. W. Ayler, Jr., Mrs. H. E. Norton, Mrs. W. T. Chapin, Mrs. J. W. Reed, Mrs. J. P. Harrison, Mrs. William L. Cooke, Mrs. G. W. Peizer, Mrs. Edward Roberts, Mrs. LeRoy Edwards, Mrs. B. J. Pressey and Mrs. E. W. Lodewick.

Returned From Honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Reed have returned from their honeymoon and are now at home at 1456 Dormont Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Reed was formerly Miss Katharine T. Simpson, of this city, and her wedding took place here on June 25, with only a few relatives and intimate friends witnessing the ceremony.

At the Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Abbott L. Archer and Little Miss Edith Standard Archer, of this city, will spend the coming week at the Virginia Bay Hotel, Ocean View, from Ocean View Mr. and Mrs. Archer and Little Miss Archer will go to Oxford, N. C., where they will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. I. H. Davis, at their home in that place.

Prominent Engagement.

An interesting engagement recently announced is that of Miss Elizabeth Lodon Kolb, daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Louis J. Kolb, of Germantown, Pa., to Ralph Alvin Gibbs, of Canton, Ohio. Miss Kolb graduated from the National Park Seminary, Washington, in June a year ago. Mr. Gibbs is a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania, class of 1915.

Guests Entertained.

Mrs. Juliet Chilton Keith and Miss Vera Palmer, who are at Marlborough Cottage, Virginia Beach, were honor guests at an auction bridge party Wednesday morning at which Mrs. Stearns Whitehurst was hostess. Three tables were engaged, and at the conclusion of the game, luncheon was served. Mrs. William Barrett, of Norfolk, was awarded first prize, and the second was won by Mrs. Keith. The consolation went to Mrs. Cole, of Norfolk. Others playing were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Scott, of Norfolk; Mrs. Walter Rosebro, of North Carolina; Mrs. Henry Stanley of Richmond; Mrs. Wrenn of Norfolk; Mrs. Smith, of Washington; Miss Nellie Uhler, of Alexandria; and Miss Helen Young, of Norfolk.

At Massanetta.

Arrivals during the last few days at Massanetta Springs are: Mrs. M. F. Hough, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Booker, of Newport News; Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Marshall and son, of Washington; Miss Louise de Troc, of San Francisco, Calif.; Miss Mary A. Warden, of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor Thompson and son, of Farmville; Mrs. W. P. Wine and daughter, Miss Dana Wine, of Cape Charles; Mrs. Mary Evans, of Newport News; Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Cooper, Miss Grace Cooper, John L. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Smith, of Winchester; Miss Verdon House, of Washington; Mr. and Mrs. N. McK. Smith, Mrs. J. S. Panekake and Mr. and Mrs. J. Campbell Panekake and daughter, of Staunton; E. G. Griffin, of Norfolk; E. Bremond Harwood, of Newport News; T. A. Shea, two children, of Little Rock, Ark.; E. D. J. Lanning, of Newport News, and Frank K. O'Ferrall, of Richmond.

U. D. C. Ball.

The U. D. C. Chapter, of Amelia, is very much interested in the Confederate ball that will be given at Otterburn Hotel on Friday. It will be an old-fashioned affair, with square dances, waltzes and two-steps the order of the evening, closing with the old-time Virginia reel. Tom Booker, Polk, Wylie, Will and Floyd Tucker

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Thalhimer Brothers Sale of White Lingerie Dresses

FOR THE SMALL WOMAN AND JUNIOR MISS OF 15 AND 17. ALSO FOR THE GIRL OF 6 TO 14 AND THE CHILD OF 2 TO 6 YEARS.

Shown in a complete assortment of this season's smartest models, suitable for each individual age and type.

Made of fine, sheer French mulls, organdies, batiste, voiles and nets.

Some bolero effects; regular, medium and long waist; becomingly trimmed with laces, some intersecting with pin tucks and embroidered organdie; some models have double and triple ruffle skirts.

PRICES DURING THIS SALE:

\$3.00 Dresses for.....	\$1.98
\$4.00 Dresses for.....	\$2.98
\$5.00 Dresses for.....	\$3.48
\$6.00 Dresses for.....	\$3.98
\$8.00 Dresses for.....	\$4.98
\$10.00 Dresses for.....	\$6.98
\$12.50 Dresses for.....	\$8.48
\$15.00 Dresses for.....	\$10.98

Thalhimer Brothers Furnishings For the Home Offered at Substantial Savings



\$1.75 Summer Portieres, \$1.39
Pretty Green Portieres, white striped border, 2 1/2 yards long, closely woven, light weight, effective and cool appearance.

20c and 25c Hemstitched, Plain and Fancy Border Mercerized Marquisette, 16 2-3c
High grade Mercerized Curtain Marquisette; some perfectly plain; others with ribbon edge hemstitched borders; also some with beautiful drawwork effect borders; full 36 inches wide.

90c Oil Opaque Shades, 69c
Good quality Oil Opaque Shades; mounted on spring rollers; dark green only; size 3x9 feet.

75c Duplex Shades, 50c
Duplex Green and White Opaque Shades; size 3 feet by 6 feet, mounted on good spring rollers. Fixtures complete ready to hang.

\$1.00 Inlaid Linoleum, 79c
Attractive tile and hardwood patterns, high grade Inlaid Linoleum. Colors through to back.

75c Cork Linoleum, 50c Sq. Yd.
High-Grade Cork Linoleum. This quality is very pliable (easy to lay). Heavy enameled surface. Pretty assortment of patterns to choose from.

\$4.00 Japanese Matting Rugs, \$2.48
Very closely woven Japanese Matting Rugs; size 9 feet by 11 feet 8 inches; good assortment of colors.

\$2.00 Japanese Matting Rugs, \$1.29
Small Room or Hall Size Japanese Matting Rugs, 6x9 feet.

\$10.00 Figured Grass Rugs, \$7.69
Attractive Grass Rugs, 9x12 feet, wide stenciled borders; beautifully designed; very closely woven; these rugs are noted for their wearing qualities.

\$10.00 Waterproof Fiber Rugs, \$7.95
Attractive Carpet patterns, size 9x12 feet, shown in new Chinese designs; especially appropriate for bedrooms.

\$15.00 Wool and Fiber Rugs, \$9.95
Hodge's Celebrated Wool and Fiber Rugs, size 9x12 feet. Only eight Rugs in lot.

\$4.00 Porch Shades, \$2.98
High-grade Porch Shades, made of wide strips of clipwood, rigged with heavy cord and pulleys; fast color green; size 6 feet wide and 7 feet 6 inches long.

An Important Sale Announcement

Concerning the distribution of merchandise in one of our leading departments, will appear in Tuesday evening's News Leader and Wednesday morning's Times-Dispatch.

Do Not Miss This Announcement

Placed on Sale To-Morrow About 500 Pieces of Women's Undermuslins At 95c

Values that cannot be duplicated again after this sale to sell under \$1.25 to \$1.50.

This collection consists of Gowns, Skirts, Envelope, Teddy and Waistline Combinations. Some extra sizes among the assortment. Made of fine quality French nainsook and lingerie cloth, attractively and daintily trimmed with laces and embroideries, intersecting with tucks and embroidered organdies.



At \$1.98

Gowns, Skirts and Combinations

Values up to \$2.50 and \$3.00

Elaborately trimmed with laces and ribbon run beadings.

Special Sale of French Nainsook and Lingerie Gowns That Sold for \$1.00 and \$1.25 at 79c

These are slightly soiled from display. Hence the above low price.

Brassieres at 39c

SIZES 34 TO 48; REGULAR SELLING PRICE, 50c. Shown in the cross-back or hook-front models; lace and embroidery trimmed.

Cool and Perfect Fitting Knit Union Suits

VERY SPECIAL VALUE, OFFERED TO-MORROW

At 39c

Regular and extra sizes. Shown in all the wanted shapes. Low neck and no sleeve; shell, lace or tight knee; also, bodice top with ribbon straps.

Semi-Silk Union Suits at 89c

REGULAR VALUES \$1.25 AND \$1.00.

Regular and extra sizes, upper portion made of fine Italian silk; lower part fine mercerized lisle. Shown in white and pink. The above price for Monday only.